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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 22, 2005 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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